

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

November 9, 2009

In re the Application of

Rene COQUILLE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2613

Application No.: 10/585,357

Examiner:

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September 15, 2006

Docket No.: 128654

For:

DEVICE FOR TEMPORAL SUBSAMPLING OF AN OTDM OPTICAL SIGNAL, OTDM-

WDM CONVERTER COMPRISING SAME AND OTDM-WDM CONVERTER

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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